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**From:** Williams, Meredith@DTSC [Meredith.Williams@dtsc.ca.gov]  
**Sent:** 4/21/2022 7:18:04 PM  
**To:** Bergren, Bettina@DTSC [Bettina.Bergren@dtsc.ca.gov]; Lyons, John [Lyons.John@epa.gov]  
**CC:** Bettahar, Mehdi@DTSC [Mehdi.Bettahar@dtsc.ca.gov]  
**Subject:** FW: NPL follow up  
**Attachments:** ATT00001.txt

Hi Bettina,

Could you please look for a time tomorrow when John and I could talk? I'd like to include Mehdi on the call. Let's do Teams for a half hour.

Thank you,  
Meredith



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**From:** Lyons, John <Lyons.John@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 21, 2022 9:46 AM  
**To:** Williams, Meredith@DTSC <Meredith.Williams@dtsc.ca.gov>; Montgomery, Michael <Montgomery.Michael@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: NPL follow up

EXTERNAL:

Hi Meredith,

Thank you for all of this. I can make myself available pretty much any time today and tomorrow, if you have time on your schedule, to talk about your timeline/process questions.

Thanks,  
John

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**From:** Williams, Meredith@DTSC <[Meredith.Williams@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:Meredith.Williams@dtsc.ca.gov)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 20, 2022 12:24 PM  
**To:** Montgomery, Michael <[Montgomery.Michael@epa.gov](mailto:Montgomery.Michael@epa.gov)>; Lyons, John <[Lyons.John@epa.gov](mailto:Lyons.John@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** RE: NPL follow up

Hi Mike and John,

Attached please find the draft letters for the NPL listing and on broader interest in California-federal coordination on addressing lead impacts in vulnerable communities. Unless there are significant issues on your end, we would like to make the letters public in the next week or two. Ali will be in touch with Mike. We have some questions about possible timeline for consideration of the request. I'll follow up with John. Have a safe trip!

Regards,  
Meredith



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**From:** Montgomery, Michael <[Montgomery.Michael@epa.gov](mailto:Montgomery.Michael@epa.gov)>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 18, 2022 10:47 AM  
**To:** Williams, Meredith@DTSC <[Meredith.Williams@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:Meredith.Williams@dtsc.ca.gov)>  
**Cc:** Lyons, John <[Lyons.John@epa.gov](mailto:Lyons.John@epa.gov)>  
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EXTERNAL:

Thanks Meredith,  
It was great to catch up. I am probably going to try and reach out to Deborah Loomis later this week. I gave a heads up to folks here re Exide so it would be great for our Comms folks to connect. I assume Allison has Mike Alpern's info. Looping in John as I am going to be in transit most of Thursday and all of Friday.  
Best,  
Mike

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**From:** Williams, Meredith@DTSC <[Meredith.Williams@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:Meredith.Williams@dtsc.ca.gov)>  
**Sent:** Friday, April 15, 2022 11:50 AM  
**To:** Montgomery, Michael <[Montgomery.Michael@epa.gov](mailto:Montgomery.Michael@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** NPL follow up

Hi Mike,

Thanks for the conversation yesterday. I'll keep you posted on my follow up from Karnig's visit. I expect to talk to Deborah Loomis in the next week or so. She said she's identifying the right set of

people to start the discussion. Not sure whether you or I will connect sooner, but let's continue to stay aligned.

As to the Exide NPL listing, I'll try to get you the letters early next week. Also, would it be possible for our communications teams to start working together next week? Let me know and I'll have my Communications Deputy Allison Wescott get in touch with your comms shop.

Regards,  
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